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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6480

INFO AMEMBASSY PANAMA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETEL, PFOR, UPU, PA

SUBJ: UPU CONGRESS: PANAMA QUESTION

REF: STATE 119169 (NOTAL)

1. PANAMA QUESTION HAS NOT BEEN RAISED AND SITUATION ABOUT SAME AS REPORTED IN GENEVA 3571. USDEL INFORMED CHAIRMAN AND DIRGEN IN CONTEXT DEMARCHE MADE PER REFTEL (BEING REPORTED SEPTTEL) THAT US WOULD CERTAINLY CALL FOR VOTE IF QUESTION RAISED IN CONGRESS.

2. PARA 6 REFTEL ASKS FOR ASSESSMENT PRACTICAL EFFECTS OF PANAMANIAN PROPOSALS. IF PROPOSALS CONTAINED IN GENEVA 3382 CONVERTED INTO RESOLUTION OF CONGRESS, DIRGEN ASSURES US HE WOULD TELL CONGRESS IT WOULD HAVE NO EFFECT SINCE IT BASIC PRINCIPLE OF UNION THAT INTERNATIONAL BUEREAU REQUIRED TO ACCEPT LISTINGS AND INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM MEMBER STATES. IB HAS NO COMPETENCY IN JUDGING WHAT IS A TERRITORY OF MEMBER STATES OF WHAT POSTAL ENTITIES

FALL UNDER WHAT STATE. EVEN IF TWO LISTINGS WERE REMOVED, I.E. TERRITORIAL LISTING OF CANAL ZONE IN IB DOCUMENTS AND IN POST OFFICE LISTING, THERE WOULD BE LITTLE PRACTICAL EFFECT EXCEPT THAT SOME COUNTRIES MIGHT SEND MAIL ADDRESSED TO PANAMA CANAL ZONE TO PANAMA RATHER THAN TO US.

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3. UNDERSTAND THAT NEITHER PANAMANIAN DEL AT CONGRESS NOR PANAMA

AMBASSADOR IN GENEVA INTEND TO PURSUE ISSUE BEYOND DISTRIBUTION OF
STATEMENT ALREADY MADE. RUMORS STILL PERSIST THAT "OTHER STATES"
ARE THINKING OF RAISING THE ISSUE.DALE

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